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SECURITY INFORMATION REPORT

COUNTRY Austria

TOPIC 1. Deutsch Wagram Airfield

2. Deutsch Wagram and Strasshof Military Posts

EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT

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31 August 1953

REFERENCES

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ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)

REMARKS

1. Between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. on 28 July 1953, 28 MiG-15s and 12 Pe-2s were observed at Deutsch Wagram (P 49/S 50) airfield. There was no air activity. There was a 3/10 overcast at an altitude of about 2,000 meters, westerly wind of about 5 km/h and good visibility. Personnel and motor vehicle traffic observed at the field was light.
2. Fourteen gray crates, 1.5 x 1.5 x 2 meters each, and 1 small crane were seen in the "Flugzeugreparaturwerkstatt" (aircraft repair shop) at Deutsch Wagram military post. Sixteen tank trucks, 8 trucks and 1 mobile crane were seen near the motor pool. As compared with previous observations, passenger traffic at buildings Nos 6 - 8 Bockfließ Gasse has decreased. Building No 28 on Bahnhof Strasse was guarded by a sentry with black-bordered blue epaulets. Sedan [redacted] was parked in the garden of the building. Truck [redacted] at the entrance to building No 19 on Bahnhof Strasse. One signal van-like truck with red antenna and 2 trucks were parked in the garden of the building near the school. Soldiers with black-bordered blue epaulets were seen near the motor vehicles. Truck [redacted] with driver wearing black-bordered blue epaulets, and 6 soldiers in coveralls were seen at the entrance to building No 3 on Bahnhof Strasse. A truck with a dismantled engine was parked behind the building. [redacted] building No 25 on Haupt Strasse was frequented by many officers at noon. [redacted] 32, wearing blue service color, among them and [redacted] the officers were taking their meals in the building. Trucks [redacted], tank truck [redacted] and sedan [redacted] all of them with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets, were identified between the airfield and the town of Deutsch Wagram.
3. Two lieutenant colonels and one major, with blue service color, were observed near the officers' billets at Strasshof military post. The building designated "large headquarters" which is probably a quartering installation, was guarded by a sentry with black-bordered blue epaulets. Truck [redacted] and tank truck [redacted] were parked in front of the building. The so-called "small headquarters" located south of the large headquarters was frequented by women and soldiers with black-bordered blue epaulets. Two trucks were parked in the yard of the building. Two trucks were seen in the cantonment at which only a small amount of personnel traffic was observed. The installation appeared to be lightly occupied. Trucks [redacted], drivers of which wore black-bordered blue epaulets, were [redacted] at the edge of the woods.


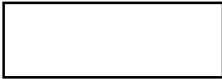
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